

ABSTRACT OF INVENTION

A round of gun ammunition including a projectile adapted to be propelled from the gun at a subsonic velocity. The round includes a case containing a quantity of gun powder therein, but not filling the case. A projectile projects into the body portion of a case to a location proximate the gun powder. A disc having a circumference substantially matching the inner circumference of the body portion of the case at the level of the gun powder within the case is interposed between the gun powder and the proximal end of the projectile within the case to provide a barrier against movement of gun powder toward the open end of the case. In one embodiment, a further disc is interposed between the disc and the proximal end of the projectile to filter out gun powder particles which may escape past the barrier disc. A method for the manufacture of the round of gun ammunition is disclosed.